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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Phyllis SHAPIRO

Group Art Unit: 1631

Serial No.: 09/865,759

Examiner: Carolyn L Smith

Filed: 05/25/2001

For: AUTOMATED METHOD FOR CORRECTING BLOOD ANALYSIS PARAMETER RESULTS AFFECTED BY INTERFERENCE FROM EXOGENOUS BLOOD SUBSTITUTES IN WHOLE BLOOD, PLASMA AND SERUM

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))**

Mail Stop \_\_\_\_\_  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a Response to the Office Action dated August 12, 2003
2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested is filed herewith. has been filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
3.  Applicant(s) is/are entitled to Small Entity Status. Statement has already been filed

4.	Total Months <u>Requested</u>	Fee for Other <u>than Small Entity</u>	Fee for <u>Small Entity</u>
a.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> one month	\$110.00	\$55.00
b.	<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$420.00	\$210.00
c.	<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$950.00	\$475.00
d.	<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,480.00	\$740.00
e.	<input type="checkbox"/> five months	\$2,010.00	\$1,005.00

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- f.  An extension for \_\_\_\_\_ months has already been secured for filing the above-identified communication and the fee paid therefor of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$\_\_\_\_\_), minus the fee previously paid (\$\_\_\_\_\_) equals \$\_\_\_\_\_ (total fee due).
5.  A check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the extension fee is attached.
6.  Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. \_\_\_\_\_. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.
7.  The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500. Order No. 0708-4057. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

Respectfully submitted,  
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Dated: December 9, 2003

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